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Subject: Yankton, South Dakota Town Gas Site

Happy Seis de Mayo to everyone !

I need to ask you guys a question from the olden days, like the way olden ARCs days.

Way back in 1994 Tim completed a PA and then in 1995 Tim wrote an FSP for a town gas site in Yankton, South Dakota (the Yankton Lighting and Heating Company # 1 site--only a couple of blocks from the Missouri River). Tim and I sampled the site the summer of 1995. In 1997 Rachel (then Rachel Badger) completed the ARR for the site.

The EPA has reassigned the site and particularly wants START2 to precisely locate the site of the former town gas plant and use a geoprobe to try and determine if subsurface contamination still exists at the site.

The problem with this site is that the true location of the former town gas plant is not known. After reviewing the PA, FSP, and ARR for the site I can see that some contact was made with the Yankton County Historical Society and with the City of Yankton, Registrar of Deeds Office. My question for you guys is do you remember what you did with these folks-----did you personally look through all the records, or call them, or what exactly? I'm trying to decide what would be the next appropriate step to take to locate the site and I don't necessarily want to go to Yankton and duplicate your work of 10 years ago.

I can fax you a copy of what you wrote if that might help jog your memory.

Please call if you have the time.

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